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B. USNATO 1810 (NOTAL)

1. UK(BANKS, DOE) AS PILOT COUNTRY REPORTED TO PLENARY ON ADVANCED WASTE WATER TREATMENT PILOT STUDY (OF WHICH US, FRG, FRANCE AND CANADA ARE CO-PILOTS). MR BANKS EMPHASIZED THAT IN UK, PHYSICAL-CHEMICAL TREATMENT IS PREFERRED TO BIO-LOGICAL METHODS; TWO PLANTS ARE NOW IN OPERATION. UK PLANS TO BUILD A FULL-SCALE ACTIVATED SLUDGE PLANT IN THE NEAR FUTURE. IT IS ALSO EXPANDING WORK ON OXYGEN INJECTION INTO SEWAGE. ECONOMIC STUDIES OF ALL WASTER WATER TREATMENT HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED. UK WILL PRESENT TO CCMS A PLAN FOR ON-GOING WASTE WATER TREATMENT PROJECT. UK DEL REITERATED UK INVITATION JUST EXTENDED AT NATO TO SEPTEMBER 29-OCTOBER 3 PILOT STUDY MEETING (REF B). DETAILED PLANS WILL BE CIRCULATED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

2. US DEL (BARNUM) EXPRESSED US SUPPORT FOR THE UK WORK. HE BRIEFLY DESCRIBED US WORK ON PHYSICAL-CHEMICAL TREATMENT AND THE OPERATION OF THE POMONA PILOT PLANT AND ALSO REFERRED TO INCREASING WORK ON OXYGENATION, AS WELL AS COLLABORATION EXPECTED WITH THE ADVANCED WORK BEING DONE IN FRANCE.

3. CANADIAN AND ITALIAN DELS INDICATED INTEREST IN THIS FIELD, AND GERMANY PRESENTED SUPPORTING STATEMENT AS CO-PILOT. FRANCE EXTENDED AN INVITATION FOR EXPERTS TO VISIT FRENCH OXYGENATION FACILITIES IN THE NEAR FUTURE.
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